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to look for:

- creator
- title of zine
- issue or volume
- date issued
- city of publication

## example citations

# MLA

**In-text citation:**  
An in-text citation names the author of the source, and gives the page number in parentheses at the end of the sentence.

**In a list of Works Cited:**  
Author last name, first name. "Title of Zine." [Zine] Volume or issue number. City of publication. Year published.

# APA

**In-text citation:**  
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**In a list of Works Cited:**  
Author last name, first initial. (Year of Publication). Title of Zine [Zine] Volume or issue number.

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## Before we get started:

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**In-text note for the first time you reference a zine:**  
Author first name and last name, Title of Zine, Issue/Volume Number(City of publication, year published), page(s) you are referencing.

**In a list of Works Cited:**  
Author last name, first name. Title of Zine. Zine. Volume or issue number. City of publication: Year published.

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## What are ZINES?

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Short for fanzine or magazine, a zine is a DIY\* subculture self-publication, usually made on paper and reproduced with a photocopier or printer. Zine creators are often motivated by a desire to share knowledge or experience with people in marginalized or otherwise less-empowered communities.